

June AD 105

Trayan once again left Rome
to fight against Decebalus. The
Dacians in the meantime had not
been idle, and already the Roman outpost
had fallen. This time the Roman expedition
was able to take advantage of the
impressive bridge built across the
Danube by Trajan's principal
architect and engineer APOLLODORUS

of Damascus. The Roman armies were
at once again to advance to SARMIZEGETUSA.
This time there would be no mercy.

SARMIZEGETUSA was captured and the
treasures of the Dacian royal house were
carried off to Rome. Decebalus himself was
wounded, until, in danger of capture, he
committed suicide.